



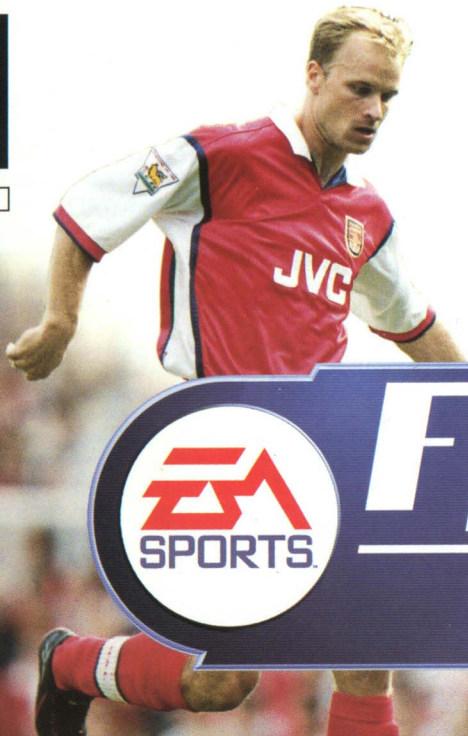
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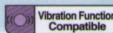
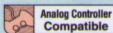
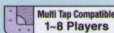
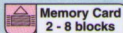


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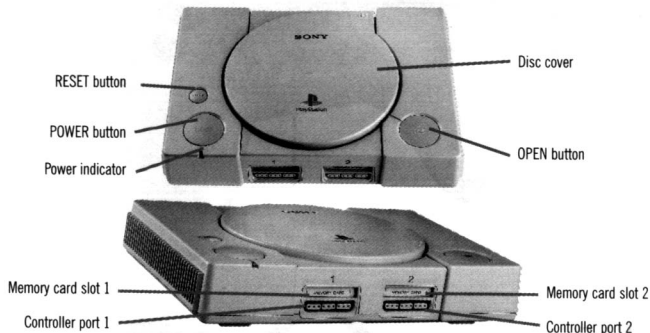
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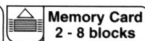
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# STARTING THE GAME

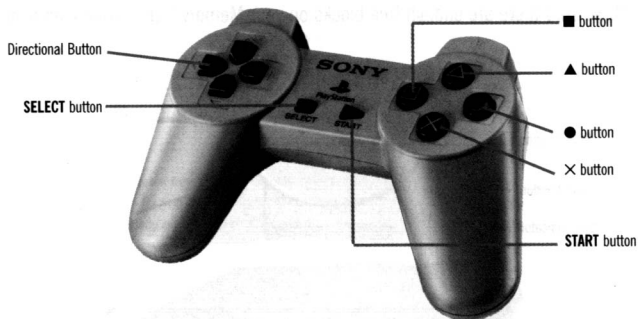
It is advised that you do not insert or remove peripherals or Memory Cards once the power is turned on. Make sure there are enough free blocks on your Memory Card before commencing play.



1. Set up your PlayStation® game console according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. **Make sure the power is OFF before inserting or removing a compact disc.**
  2. Insert the *FIFA 99* disc and close the Disc Cover.
  3. Insert the game controllers and turn ON the PlayStation game console.
- Note:** When using the Multi Tap, you must connect at least one controller to Controller port 1-A.
4. The video introduction sequence begins, followed by the FIFA 99 title screen.
  5. Press the START button and the Match Select Screen appears.



## COMMAND SUMMARY



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## QUICK START

Two clicks and you're ready to play a friendly match.

1. Press the **X** button. The Controller Select screen appears.
2. Directional button **LEFT/RIGHT** to select your preferred team.
3. Press the **START** button.

## HOW TO PLAY (BASIC CONTROLS)

### *When your player has the ball*

With the Analog Mode Switch set to LED: Red, the left stick of the Analog Controller can be used to control the direction of the player.

Move your player using the Directional buttons.

Pause

#### **Lob**

This sends an aerial pass to a player further down field. The longer you hold the **■** button the higher the ball will go.

#### **Speed Burst**

Each press gives the player a short burst of speed.

**Note:** Using speed burst tires players.

#### **Shoot Pass**

Player passes to the teammate with the target control highlight around him. Use the Directional button to pick different pass receivers.





## When the opponent has the ball *Control Highlights*

### Speed Burst

Each press gives the player a short burst of speed.

**Note:** Using speed burst tires players.

### Tackle

Your player briefly chases the player in possession of the ball and attempts to tackle him.

### Switch Player

Swap control to the player closest to the ball. Watch for the control highlight that appears under the closest player.

Move your player using the Directional buttons.

Pause

Slide Tackle



## *Control Highlights*

### Controlled Player



With Ball  
Closest Player



Without ball



Controlled player offscreen indicator



Closest player on screen



Off-screen pass indicator (flashing)





## INTERMEDIATE CONTROLS

**Note:** Where the term **tap** is used, hit the specified button in a short, sharp fashion.

### *Passing*

Through Pass

**R1** button

### *Fouling*

Intentional Foul

**L1** button

### *Avoiding tackles*

Jump A Slide Tackle

**L1** button

Lateral Shimmy Left

Tap **L2** button

Lateral Shimmy Right

Tap **R2** button

360 Spin Left

Double tap **L2** button

360 Spin Right

Double tap **R2** button

### *Goalie control*

Goalie charge

Hold **R2** button

Pick up the ball

**L1** button

Drop the ball

▲ button

Throw

■ button/× button

Kick-out

● button



## SPECIAL TECHNIQUES

### *One touch - Done while the ball is loose or being passed*

First-Time Pass	× button
First-Time Lob	■ button
First-Time Through Pass	R1 button
First-Time Shot	● button

### **Shooting**

To target different areas of the net, press the Directional button based on the direction your player is facing. Pointing towards the opponent's net will shoot high. To drive a low hard shot pull away from the opponents net.

### **Special shooting techniques:**

Side-foot Shot	× button
Chip Shot	■ button

Press these buttons in the opposing 18yd box when there are no pass or lob targets and the player will take one of these shots.

### **Heading**

Header on goal	Hold the ● button
Head the ball to a team mate's chest	Hold the ■ button
Head the ball to a team mate's feet	Hold the × button



### ***Volleying***

Volley or Bicycle Kick Shot

Volley to a team mate's chest

Volley to a team mate's feet

Double tap the ● button

Double tap the ■ button

Double tap the × button

## **ADVANCED CONTROLS**

### ***Skill Moves***

To activate Skill moves, hold down the **L2** button or the **R2** button (as specified below) and press one of the following buttons.

#### **Action (Hold L2 Button)**

Fakes

Rainbow Kick

Lateral left

360° left

Step over Nutmeg

Dive

#### **Command**

Directional button

■ button

× button

● button

R1 button

L1 button

#### **Action (Hold R2 Button)**

Fakes

Flick-over

Lateral right

360° right

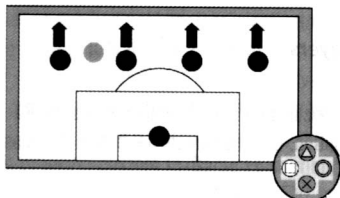
Double Step over

Dive

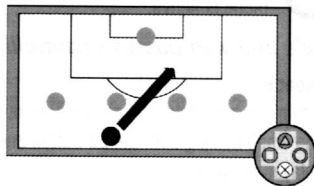


## IN-GAME TACTICS (IGT)

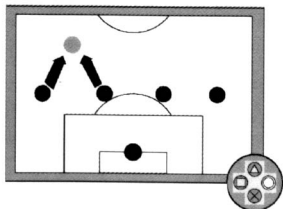
To activate a tactic, press one of the following while holding both the **L2** button & the **R2** button at the same time.



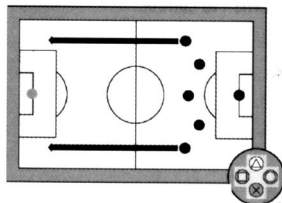
**Offside trap** ■ button



**Through Ball Run** × button



**Attacking Pressure** ● button



**Wing Back Run** ▲ button



## Tactic indicator Control highlight



Any player affected by an IGT has a control highlight beneath him for the duration the tactic is active.

## *1 -2's and wall passes - controlling 2 players*

### Passback

To retain movement control of your current player and kicking control of another, press the **R1** button while holding both the **L2** button and the **R2** button. Use the Directional button to choose the player you wish to pass to.

### Offball

To retain kicking control of the current player and movement of another, press the **L1** button while holding both the **L2** button and the **R2** button. Use the Directional button to choose the player you wish to control.



## IN-GAME MANAGEMENT (IGM)

Change a team's formation, strategy, and positioning during play to one of 3 settings you've created (IGM #1-IGM #3). Once you press a button to activate a formation and strategy, that setting remains until another is activated or a new game is started.

### To change IGM during a match:

- Press the **SELECT** button to activate the next In-Game Management setting. (For instance, if IGM #1 is active, press the **SELECT** button once to run IGM #2 or twice to run IGM #3.)

### To program custom In-Game Formation/strategy/positioning:

1. Select TEAM MANAGEMENT from the Pause Menu, then select IGM.
2. You can select Formation, Strategy, or Positioning for each of IGM 1, 2 and 3.
3. Modify the settings how you like
4. Save your settings if available.

**Note:** Your team starts the game with IGM#1 active.



## IN DEAD BALL SITUATIONS...

Toggle View Mode (Normal/Receiver/Target) R1 button

### *Free Kick*

#### **Normal Mode**

Move Target Arrow

Directional button

Take kick

■ button, × button or ● button

Add Ballspin Left

L2 button (Hold)

Add Ballspin Right

R2 button (Hold)

#### **Receiver Mode**

Switch Player

× button

#### **Target Mode**

Use the Directional button to target area

### *Throw-In*

#### **Receiver Mode**

Long Throw

■ button

Short Throw

● button

#### **Target Mode**

Long Throw to Target

■ button

Medium Throw to Target

× button

Short Throw to Target

● button



## **Corner Kick**

### **Normal Mode**

Move Target Arrow

Take kick

Add Ballspin Left

Add Ballspin Right

Directional button

■ button, ● button or × button

**L2** (Hold)

**R2** (Hold)

### **Receiver Mode**

High Cross to selected player

Low Cross to selected player

■ button

● button

### **Target Mode**

Use the Directional buttons to target area

## **Goal kick**

### **Normal Mode**

Move Target Arrow

Take kick

Add Ballspin Left

Add Ballspin Right

Directional button

■ button, ● button or × button

**L2** button (Hold)

**R2** button (Hold)

### **Receiver Mode**

Switch Player

× button

### **Target Mode**

Use the Directional buttons to target area



## **Penalty Kick**

### **Kick Taker**

Target Shot

Switch Kicking Side

Switch Player

(Not available in Penalty Kick Shoot-out)

Shoot

### **Goalie**

Move Along Line/Choose Direction of Save

Attempt Save

Directional button

■ button

× button

● button

Directional button

■ button, × button or ● button

## **MENU NAVIGATION**

1. Directional button **LEFT/RIGHT** (or **UP/DOWN**) to highlight item.
2. Press the × button to select item.
3. Directional button **LEFT/RIGHT** (or **UP/DOWN**) to cycle highlighted items.
4. Press the × button to select.
  - When options are set up, press the **START** button to advance to next Menu.
  - To return to previous Menu (losing any unsaved changes you may have made), press the **SELECT** button

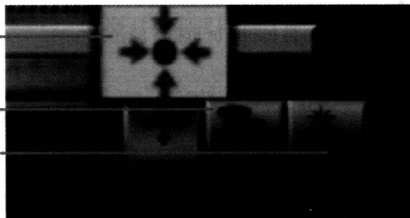


## To Activate Icon Menu Bar

Save Changes  
(Highlighted)

Reset this team

Reset all teams



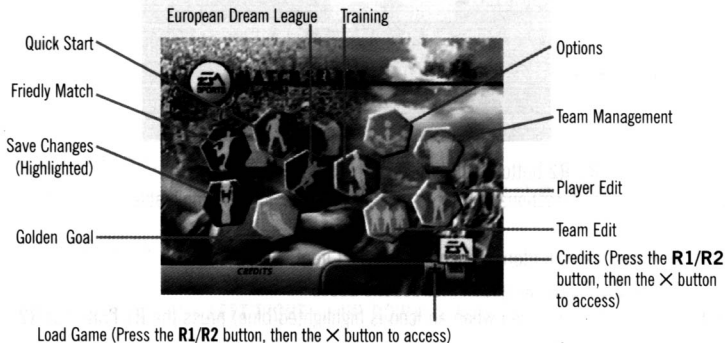
1. Press the **R1/R2** button and the icon is highlighted.
2. a) Press the Directional button to highlight another icon (if applicable)  
- or -  
b) Press the **X** button to open Menu/select item
3. Follow the Menu navigation instructions above

**Note:** To return to the screen when an Icon is highlighted(blue) press the **R1** button or **R2** button.



## MATCH SELECT

Select a mode of play, set options, edit teams or load a saved game.



## FRIENDLY MATCH

In Friendly Match Mode, you may match up any team from any League against any other.

## QUICK START

Select Quick Start to go straight into a match (See *Quick Start* Section on p 4).

## GOLDEN GOAL MATCH

Play to a set goal total (1-10 goals).

## TRAINING

Practice your skills through a number of training drills.

## EUROPEAN DREAM LEAGUE

Take one of 20 of Europe's elite clubs and pit them against the best of the rest through a whole season.

**Note:** To create random groupings, select RANDOMISE

Once you reach the end of the Dream League season, the top two teams in each group advance to a home-and-away Semi-final series with the winners meeting in the European Dream League Final.

## SEASON MODE

In Season mode take control of a team and guide them through a full season in any one of FIFA 99's 15 league and cup competitions. Alternatively, create your own customised Cup or League.

Select from four Season types: League, Cup, Custom League or Custom Cup.

**LEAGUE:** Choose from Belgium, Brazil, England, France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Portugal, Scotland, Spain, Sweden, USA

**CUP:** Choose from three European Cups

**CREATE CUSTOM LEAGUE:** Create your own League structure and choose teams (See Custom League/Cup creator section).

**CREATE CUSTOM CUP:** Create your own Cup tournament and choose teams.



### ***Custom League Creator***

The Custom League Creator allows you to create your own League featuring either Club or International Teams. You may select from 2-24 teams to play a defined number of matches.

**Note:** If you have less than four teams in your Custom league you will not be able to select a single Round Robin format.

### ***Custom Cup Creator***

Select club teams from any of *FIFA 99*'s supported leagues as well as a selection of International or 'Rest of Europe' sides. Choose whether you want to play a Round Robin League followed by a Knock-out stage or simply go straight into a Knock-out Cup competition.

**Note:** The **CPU Selection** button may be used to instantly select remaining teams.

## **TEAM MANAGEMENT**

Control every aspect of your team's performance with Team Management

- Access Team Management from the Match Select screen, the Standings screen or from the in-game Pause Menu.
- Use In-Game Management (IGM) to switch formations, positioning and strategy on the fly.

**Note:** Any team changes made from a league or cup mode are specific to that tournament and are saved automatically when that league or cup is saved.



## Starting Line Up

### To change the starting line-up or substitute players

- Select the first player then select a second player. The two players are automatically swapped.

**Note:** Highlight the Pitch Layout/Attribute icon and press the X button to toggle between the team layout on the pitch and the Attribute table.

## Transfers

The Transfers option allows users to trade players with other Club teams. Each team is allocated a bankroll, based on their actual resources, reputation and history.

1. Select the name of the Club with whom you wish to trade.
2. Select the player you wish to transfer and, providing the purchasing team has adequate funds and less than 25 players, the transfer takes place.

**Note:** Only Club teams may make Transfers and each team must retain between 16 and 25 players on their roster.

**Note:** When you reset Saved transfers ALL Transfers will be lost (In that particular database).





### Kick Takers

1. Directional button **UP/DOWN** to choose a player for a kick takers role
2. Press the **X** button to select the player. The kick takers role is now highlighted.  
Either:
  - a) To let the selected player take that role, press the **X** button.
  - b) To place the selected player in a different role, Directional button **UP/DOWN**. Press the **X** button when the role you wish him to take is highlighted.
3. Press the **START** button to return to the TEAM MANAGEMENT Menu.

### List of Player Attributes

Acceleration, Agility, Ball control, Creativity, Fitness, Header Accuracy, Shot Power, Shot Accuracy, Speed, Tackles.

### PLAYER EDIT AND TEAM EDIT

- Customise player appearances.
- Build a player to excel at his position by altering 10 player skills (e.g. Speed, Shot Accuracy, Fitness).
- Change player position.

#### To Save changes

- Press the **L1/L2** button or the **R1/R2** button to highlight the Save Changes icon, then press the **X** button.

**Note:** If you want to customise players or squads, you must do so *before* entering a League or Season mode.

## OPTIONS

Allow you change game settings from:

- Match Options
- Gameplay Options
- Audio/Visual Options

## SAVING AND LOADING GAMES

You can save your *FIFA 99* progress and settings at the completion of any League or Cup match. If you exit the game mode without saving, you lose all progress made during that gameplay session.

- Previously saved games may be loaded at the Match Select screen.
- You may save up to six games with a regular Memory Card.

**Note:** Never insert or remove a Memory Card when loading or saving.



To Save A FIFA 99 League or Cup:

1. In the STANDINGS screen, after a *FIFA 99* match, press the **R1/R2** button to activate the Icon Menu Bar.
2. Directional button **LEFT** to highlight Save Game Icon, then press the **X** button. The Save Game Menu appears.
3. Directional button **UP/DOWN** to highlight the preferred block, then press the **X** button. The tournament is saved.
4. Press the **SELECT** button to exit.

**Note:** A saved game has its own database. Any changes made to teams from within a saved game stay specific to that saved game and do not alter original settings.

**Note:** To save all game modes may require more than one Memory card – each League or Cup game mode requires 2 Memory card blocks

